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VIA FACSIMILE

Honorable Magistrate Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: United States v. Cesar Castillo 11-mj-00231-UA-1

Dear Magistrate Judge:

This letter is written to respectfully request a thirty (30) day adjournment of the Preliminary Hearing presently scheduled for Monday, March 7, 2011 at 10:00 AM, to permit the Government and I to engage in discussions regarding a potential disposition of this matter.

I respectfully request that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, until the day of conference, in the interest of justice. I have conferred with Assistant U.S. Attorney Alvin Bragg, who consents to this request on behalf of the Government.

Thank you in advance for your time and consideration in this matter. I remain,

Sincerely yours,

s/ Patrick J. Brackley
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cc: AUSA Alvin L. Bragg, Jr. (via ecf)